



Docket No.: 050212-0514

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Motoki KAKUI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 8492  
Application No.: 10/615,389 : Group Art Unit: 3663  
Filed: July 09, 2003 : Examiner: Diacou, Ari M.

For: OPTICAL AMPLIFICATION MODULE OPTICAL AMPLIFICATION APPARATUS  
AND OPTICAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action  
dated February 3, 2006, pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.